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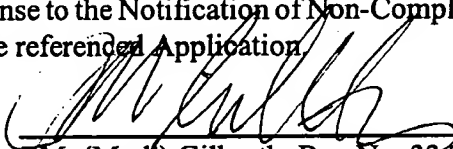
**FROM: J.M. (Mark) Gilbreth, Reg No.: 33,388**

**RE: SERIAL NO. 09/296,217**

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF NON-COMPLIANCE WITH  
THE REQUIREMENTS OF 37 CFR 1.192(C)**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>IN RE APPLICANT: Boyce D. Burts, Jr.</b>	§	<b>EXAMINER: L. Cross</b>
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<b>FILED: April 22, 1999</b>	§	<b>ART UNIT NO.: 1743</b>
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<b>SERIAL NO.: 09/296,217</b>	§	
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<b>TITLE: <i>Conformance Improvement</i></b>	§	<b>ATTY DOCKET NO. 23267/15DC1</b>
<b><i>Additive, Conformance Treatment</i></b>	§	
<b><i>Fluid Made Therefrom, Method</i></b>	§	
<b><i>of Improving Conformance in a</i></b>	§	
<b><i>Subterranean Formation</i></b>	§	

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notification of Non-Compliance with the Requirements of 37 CFR 1.192(c) of October 7, 2003, correct copies of claims 4 and 6 are respectfully submitted. Additionally, Section II of the Appeal Brief is updated to reflect decisions on 09/296,216 and 09/307,544.

**REMARKS**

**Correct Copy Of Claims 4 and 6:**

The Notification is requiring submission of the correct copy of claims 4 and 6.